

CLASSIFICATION OFFICE DECISION

Title of publication: Gns027.MP4_snapshot_00.31_[2016.07.16_23.26.22].jpg

Other known title(s): Not stated

OFLC ref: 1601021.002

Medium: Computer Image File

Publisher: Not stated

Country of origin: Not stated

Language: Not applicable

Applicant: Secretary for Internal Affairs

Classification:	Objectionable.
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Descriptive note: None

Display conditions: None

Date of entry in Register: 30 January 2017

Date of direction to issue a label: No direction to issue a label has been issued

Date of notice of decision: 30 January 2017

Summary of reasons for decision:

The computer image file comprises multiple pictures of a teenager or young woman washing herself in a bathroom, obviously unaware of the camera. The image promotes and encourages criminal activity relating to intimate visual recordings (these are specific offences in the Crimes Act 1961) to such a degree, and in such a manner, that its availability is likely to be injurious to the public good. The classification of this publication interferes with the right to freedom of expression set out in the New Zealand Bill of Rights Act 1990 but this is an outcome that is consistent with Parliament's intention that publications that strongly encourage criminal acts in a manner that is likely to cause injury to the public good be classified as objectionable.